

COMMERCIAL.

CLOSING QUOTATIONS.
FRIDAY, 3rd February
EXCHANGE.

ON LONDON.—

Telegraphic Transfer	1/11
Bank Bills, on demand	1/11
Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight	1/11
Bank Bills, at 4 months' sight	1/11
Credits, at 4 months' sight	1/11
Documentary Bills, 4 months' sight	2 00

ON PARIS.—

Bank Bills, on demand	2 47
	51

On	CHINA, at 1 month sight	200
On	CHINA, at 3 months sight	200
On	NEW YORK—	
	Bank Bills, on demand	47 1/2
	Credits, 60 days' sight	45 1/2
On	BOMBAY—	
	Telegraphic Transfer	145 1/2
	Bank, on demand	148
On	CALCUTTA—	
	Telegraphic Transfer	145 1/2
	Bank, on demand	146
On	SHANGHAI—	
	Bank, at sight	71 1/2
	Private, 30 days' sight	72 1/2
On	YOKOHAMA—	
	On demand	5 1/2
On	MANILA—	
	On demand	1 1/2
On	SINGAPORE—	
	On demand	1 1/2
	US CURRENCY, Bank's Buying Rate	10 1/2

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Union Sugar	\$100	\$52, buyers
Minig		
Shampanagnes	For \$500	\$115, sellers
G. Bata & O'donian	\$3	\$5.55, sellers
Jebeba	\$3	\$8, buyers
Green's Mines Ltd.	25c	\$1, buyers
Ques's Mines A.	\$1	\$1.10, buyers
Do. Do.	\$1	\$5.55, sellers
Farlow	\$5	\$6.25, sales
Do. Preference.	\$1	\$1.40
Kault	14c-15c	\$1.05
New Army	\$03	\$154
Steamship Coys.		
China and Manila	\$50	\$35, bid & mtd.
China Steamship Co.	\$10	\$10, buyers
Do. Preference	\$10	\$10, buyers
Do. Do.	\$5	\$5, buyers
Douglas Steamship	\$50	\$38, sellers
L. Carsten and M.	\$15	\$15, 75, ex div
Do. Do.	\$20	\$35
Star Ferry	\$7	\$12.55
United Planting Co. ..	\$5	\$5, sellers
Do. Do.	\$2	\$3, sellers
Yokohama	\$2	\$2, buyers

Do.	\$10.80	100,000	100,000
Wachal Warehouse...	\$375	\$389	
Watson & Co. A. S. ...	\$10.85	100,000	100,000
J. Y. VERNON, Broker			
OPUM.			
Madison, New	\$750	\$750	p. l. 100,000
Madison, Old	\$750	\$750	
Madison, Old	\$750	\$750	
Pennian City	\$750	\$750	
Do Paper-wrapped	\$750	\$750	
Do Paper-wrapped	\$750	\$750	
Patine Old	\$750	\$750	per cent.
Beausure New	\$750	\$750	
Beausure Old	\$750	\$750	

THE WEATHER.

On the 2nd at 11.40 a.m. The sun of slightly low clouds had moved toward the North of the Sea of the North Sea. The wind was from the North, and moderate to rather strong with sharp increase on the 3rd in the A.M. The sea was calm. (Forecast for 27th and 28th.)

HONGKONG REGISTER.			
	Previous day & hour.	On date at 10 a.m.	On date at 4 p.m.
Barometer	30.0	30.0	30.0
Temperature	80	79	80
Humidity	68	62	68
Direction of wind	S	N	S
Force	1	3	3
Weather	c	b	b

Rain		COI	
Highest open air temperature on the 2nd Lowest open air temperature on the 2nd F. G. FIGG, Acting Director Meteorological, 2nd February.			
Messrs. FAIRBANKS & CO.'s Barometer, 2nd February. Barometer 3 p.m. 30.21 Therm. 6 a.m. (Wet bulb) 30.18 11 a.m. 30.18 Therm. 1 p.m. (Wet bulb) 30.18 4 p.m. 30.11 Therm. 4 p.m. (Wet bulb) Thermom. 5 p.m. 59 Therm. Maximum 64 Thermom. 1 p.m. 59 Therm. Minimum 48 Thermom. 2 p.m. 62 night.....			
HONGKONG TIDE TABLE. 4th to 10th February.			
HIGH WATER. LOW WATER.			
Day of Week	Day of Month	Hongkong High Time	Hongkong Low Time
		Hour	Hour
		ft. in.	ft. in.

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where parents reside abroad and special arrangements are made with regard to them.

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